FISCAL NOTE

HB 2810 - SB 3080

February 6, 2004

SUMMARY OF BILL: Prohibits the Department of Health from requiring disabled persons to reestablish their disability for TennCare on an annual basis if permitted by Federal law. The eligibility redetermination for these persons is to be accomplished by verification from a health care provider or administrator of a residential facility.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

MINIMAL

The Department of Human Services is responsible for determination of eligibility for TennCare medical benefits. Assumes that the provisions of the bill will not alter eligibility redetermination and verification practices required under federal law.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director